

1 THE HONORABLE JOHN C. COUGHENOUR
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7 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
8 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
9 AT SEATTLE

10 IRA D. WASHINGTON,

11 Petitioner,

12 v.

13 UNITED STATES CONGRESS,

14 Respondent.

CASE NO. C15-443-JCC

ORDER OF DISMISSAL

15 The Court, after careful consideration of petitioner's 28 U.S.C. § 2254 petition for writ of
16 habeas corpus (Dkt. No. 1), the Report and Recommendation of the Honorable James P.
17 Donohue (Dkt. No. 7), the governing authorities and the balance of the record, does hereby find
18 and ORDER:

19 (1) The Court adopts the Report and Recommendation.
20 (2) The habeas petition is DENIED and this case is DISMISSED without prejudice.
21 (3) In accordance with Rule 11 of the Rules Governing Section 2254 Cases in the
22 United States District Courts, a certificate of appealability is DENIED with respect to the
23 grounds asserted by petitioner in his habeas petition.

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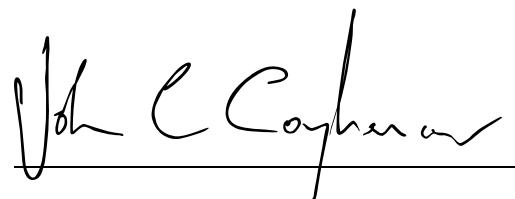
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2 (4) The Clerk is directed to send copies of this Order to Mr. Pigott and Judge
3 Donohue.

4 DATED this 5th day of May 2015.

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John C. Coughenour
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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